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## **Education**

• University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.

2021 - Present

- PhD, Computer Science. Advisor: Benjamin C. Pierce

• Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT.

2017 - 2021

- BA, Computer Science (with high honors) and Mathematics, GPA 3.98/4.00.

#### Research

- Languages with Potential: Types & Recurrences for Formal Amortized Analysis. Undergraduate Honors Thesis, 2021.
- Denotational Recurrence Extraction for Amortized Analysis, Joseph W. Cutler, Daniel R. Licata, and Norman Danner. Proceedings of the ACM SIGPLAN International Conference on Functional Programming, 2020.

## Work Experience

• Technical Intern, Correct Computation, Inc.
Worked on Affix, a tool for generating C code models of binaries.

Summer 2021

Spring 2018

- Research Intern, Max Planck Institute for Software Systems (virtual) Summer 2020 Research in refinement type-based techniques for resource analysis. Implemented  $\lambda$ -amor, a highly expressive refinement type system for amortized analysis.
- University Research Fellow, Wesleyan University

  Did research in resource analysis, working to extend prior work on automated recurrence extraction to deal with amortized analysis. Resulted in a paper published at ICFP '20.
- Student Forum Leader, Wesleyan University
  Lectured on Haskell, alongside a grad student who had designed the course.
- Course Assistant, Wesleyan University

  Graded assignments, led TA sessions, and aided with labs for the following classes:
  - COMP 360 Applied Logic & Logic Programming (Fall 2020)
  - COMP 323 Programming Language Implementation (Spring 2020)
  - COMP 212 Computer Science II. (S/F 2018, S 2019, S/F 2020, S 2021)
  - COMP 112 Introduction To Programming. (Summer 2018)
  - MATH 261 Abstract Algebra (Fall 2020)
  - MATH 223 Linear Algebra. (Fall 2019)
  - WesMASS COMP 211 Mini-Course Computer Science I. (Summer 2018)
- Software Development Intern, Flatiron School, New York, NY: Summer 2016/17, Winter 2018 Worked on Flatiron School's online learning platform, Learn.co.
- Teaching Assistant, Upperline School of Code, NYC

August 2017

• Teaching Assistant, Flatiron School, New York, NY

Fall 2014 - Summer 2015

## **Awards**

- Michael Rice Prize, Awarded to a senior for excellence in computer science. (2021)
- Phi Beta Kappa (2021)
- Shortt Prize, Awarded to a junior for excellence in mathematics. (2020)
- Robertson Prize, Awarded to a sophomore for excellence in mathematics. (2019)
- PLMW @ ICFP Funding (2020)
- Cornell, Maryland, and Max Planck Pre-Doctoral Research School (CMMRS) Travel Award (2019)

#### Attended

- Cornell, Maryland, Max Planck Pre-doctoral Research School, Saarbrücken, Germany (August 2019)
- Oregon Programming Languages Summer School, Eugene, OR (June 2019) with funding from Prof. Licata

#### Service

- Volunteer, #ShutdownPL ICFP (2020)
- Computer Science Club Steering Committee, Wesleyan University (2019-2021) Planned, organized, and hosted events for the computer science community at Wesleyan

### **Skills**

- Programming: Functional programming (Standard ML, Haskell), web development (Ruby, Rails, JavaScript, Frontend MVC Frameworks), LATEX, Lower level languages (C, C++).
- Other: Unix, Git, and Vim. Conversant in data science methods coursework in statistics and machine learning.